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# VERY SERIOUS SIDE TO THIS SEPARATION

Relations Between Countries Will Be Embittered by Announcement of Break.

BY LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.  
THERE is a very serious political side to the break between Prince William of Sweden and his Russian wife, the particularly comely and altogether charming Grand Duchess Marie Pavlovna, just twenty-three years of age.

At the time of their marriage it was hoped in Sweden that it would serve to safeguard the country from Muscovite aggression and hostile designs, while at St. Petersburg it was anticipated that it would contribute to allay Swedish suspicions of Russia, and also bring that kingdom within the sphere of Russian influence, contrary to the entrance to the Baltic, it is a matter of the utmost importance to Russia that Sweden should be subservient to her will.

All these expectations have been disappointed by the separation of the young couple, and the official announcement of the impending dissolution of their marriage, under circumstances calculated to embitter the two

countries one against the other. For no matter how little ground there may be for the charge, the imputations contained in the Swedish press, to the effect that the grand duchess had been concerned in the espionage affairs of the military attaché of the Russian legation at Stockholm, are generally credited by the people of Sweden, which naturally creates intense resentment at St. Petersburg.

The marriage was doomed to failure from the very outset. For, aside from the entire incompatibility of temperaments of the young couple, it was ridiculous to imagine that the fairest of the princesses of the imperial house of Russia, who had enjoyed but for a year the pleasures of Sweden and most brilliant capitals of Europe, would be satisfied with the quiet, intensely luxurious and even monotonous existence at Stockholm. Moreover, three previous projects of marriage between the reigning dynasties of Sweden and Russia having come to rather ignominious grief, it was tempting fate to embark upon a fourth undertaking of this matrimonial character.

A four-line cable dispatch from Stockholm announces the sudden demise from heart disease of Baroness

Karl Bonde, and that within two hours afterwards her husband had followed her into the great hereafter, succumbing to a stroke of apoplexy, caused by the shock of her death. This brings their son and heir, Baron Knut Bonde, secretary of the Swedish legation at Berlin, and married to Miss Grisel Anstruther, daughter of Colonel C. Anstruther, of Charleston, S. C., into the possession of the family honors and estates. Another son is secretary of the Swedish legation at Washington, D. C.

Chief among the family estates is the 50,000-acre property around the ancestral chateau of the Barons of Bonde, known as Eriksburg, situated in the midst of a park and grounds laid out according to designs of LeNôtre, the creator of the gardens of the Palace of Versailles. Eriksburg has been for many hundreds of years in the possession of the Bonde family, is filled from cellar to garret with treasures, treasures of art and of history, among them the throne of Charles VIII, who was a Bonde, and which occupies a conspicuous position in the grand salon. The castle is particularly famous for its wonderful collection of books and manuscripts, which include the correspondence and records of the Barons of Bonde, as well as of other Swedish nobles related to them, who held high office in the service of the crown in the fifteenth, sixteenth, seventeenth, eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. Among others, there are a number of letters of the Cardinals Richelieu and Mazarin, of King Gustavus Adolphus, and of Frederick the Great. Worthy guardian of all these literary treasures, the late Baron Karl Bonde, whose demise has just taken place, published a long series of volumes of anecdotal history of the reigns of the Vasa Kings.

The Bondes have furnished not only numerous archbishops, field marshals, admirals, promoters, and grand senators to Sweden, but likewise two Kings, one of whom is a national saint, namely, St. Eric, who reigned over Sweden from 1162 to 1169, and Charles VIII, above mentioned, who reigned from 1493 to 1495. In the nineteenth century Baron Gustav Bonde was president of the Council of Regency during the minority of Charles XI. A Baron Charles Bonde was the plenipotentiary of Sweden at the court of Versailles in the reign of Louis XIV., and negotiated in London a treaty of offensive and defensive alliance between Great Britain and Sweden. In the eighteenth century another Baron Gustav Bonde was chancellor of the ancient University of Upsala, and his namesake was grand chamberlain of the court of the last of the Vasa Kings of Sweden, at the beginning of the nineteenth century.

The grandfather of the new owner of Eriksburg was dispatched as ambassador on the mission of notifying the foreign courts of the accession of King Charles XV, and the late Baron Karl Bonde fulfilled a similar mission on the accession of the present ruler of Sweden.

Lord Rosebery has taken occasion to emphasize, in connection with Henry Labouchere's recently published biography, the fact that, in England, at any rate, the writer of a letter retains a proprietary right therein after its dispatch, to the extent of being able to prevent its publication without his consent. One of the principal ambitions of the latter portion of Labouchere's life was his desire to be appointed as British ambassador at Washington, and this became all the more pronounced after Mr. Gladstone had declined to include him in his cabinet in 1882, although it was admitted that he had contributed in no small degree to the defeat of the Unionists.

It was in the latter part of 1891 that he wrote to Lord Rosebery, then Premier, asking for the Washington appointment, recalling to him that he had commenced his career in the diplomatic service, and that his seasonal ship in question would thus be a fitting finale thereto. Labouchere added that, realizing that the ownership of his London weekly, Truth, might be inconvenient with the role of a representative of the crown abroad, he was perfectly willing to sell it without delay, although it brought him a net profit of \$60,000 a year, explaining that through various inheritances and successful investments, he had become a very rich man and could well afford

to dispense with the income from his paper. Lord Rosebery's response was an unqualified refusal, which earned for him the enmity of Labouchere and of Truth, from that time forth. When Labouchere's nephew, A. Thorold, was writing the biography, he wrote to Lord Rosebery, asking his permission to include the correspondence about the Washington embassy in his work, but this was promptly vetoed by Lord Rosebery. It is a pity that it was not included. For it could not fail to have been interesting, since it must have taxed all Lord Rosebery's tact and diplomacy to give some reason to Labouchere that was not calculated to hurt his feelings. And, yet the causes were so self-evident, that it is difficult to understand how so shrewd a man as Labouchere could ever have dreamed of the possibility of his appointment to the post. Aside from the fact that Queen Victoria, and almost every member of the reigning family had been subjected at one time or another to vigorous criticisms by Labouchere, in the pages of Truth, in which no occasion was lost to express good-natured contempt for royalty in general, there were domestic arrangements in Labouchere's life which would assuredly have rendered him persona non grata at Washington.

For Mrs. Labouchere, who would have been called upon to fill the role of ambassador, had spent many years on the stage, as Henrietta Hodson, and had accompanied Lily Langtry (now Lily De Laithlo, to America, as Mrs. John Marshall Lewis, of Gloucester, Mass.) to the United States, on the occasion of her first professional tour in the United States. Mrs. Labouchere had experienced a considerable amount of difficulty in securing a dissolution of her first marriage, and it was not until many years after the birth of their only daughter, the Marchioness Rudini, that she became free to wed "Lobby." Under the circumstances, her presence at Washington in the role of British ambassador, would have been very justly resented, in spite of all her kindness and charm. (Copyright, 1913, by the Trentwood Company.)

WEST POINT  
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Mrs. Isaac Dicks, of Richmond, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. Turner, of "Kentucky," her home near West Point. Mrs. John Marshall Lewis, of Gloucester Court House, is visiting her father, Dr. A. T. Hargrave.

Mrs. W. Eubank, of King and Queen, passed through town recently en route to Danoke. She will visit her sister in Richmond before she returns.

W. R. Broadus has sold the West Point Telephone Company to the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Baltimore, a Bell subsidiary.

James L. Lorry was in Richmond recently on business. Mr. B. H. Bagby and son have returned to their home in Richmond. Mrs. Thomas P. Bagby has returned to her home after visiting her son, L. Scott Bagby, in Norfolk. W. Bray visited Richmond Thursday on business. Mrs. Jeffress was called to King and Queen Wednesday by the sickness of her daughter.

Mrs. Johnnie Johnson has returned home from St. Andrew's Hospital, where she spent six weeks. Olo Johnson, of Bremen, was a recent guest of friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Johnson, who have gone with their daughters, Mrs. Charles Sprague and Mrs. Alison Sprague, for six weeks, left for their home at Scott's Creek Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie Turner returned on Saturday evening from Richmond, where she spent a few days. Mrs. Josiah Roberts and three children, after spending a month with Mrs. Richard Roberts, returned to Richmond on Saturday. Hubert Cunningham returned from West Virginia on Thursday, where he has been engaged in business.

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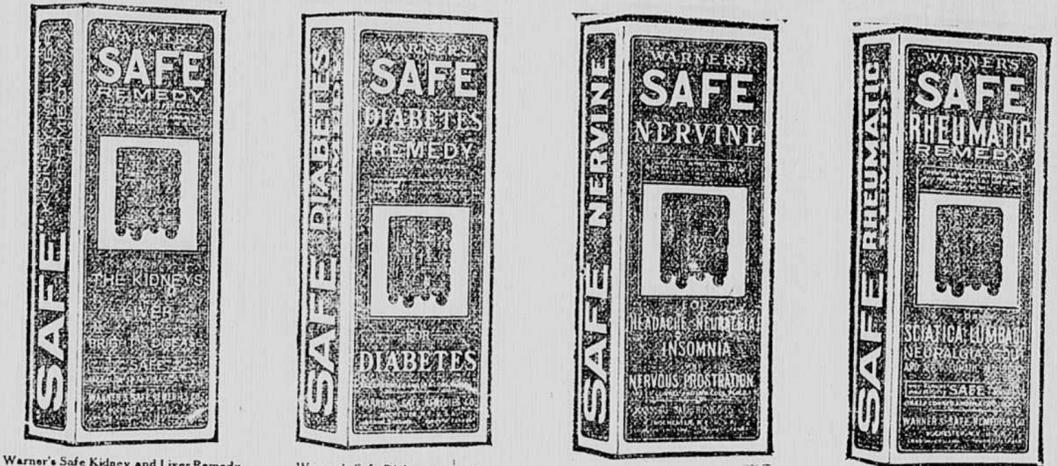
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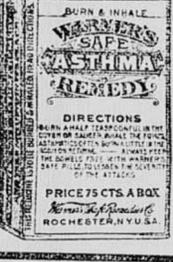
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